

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

CUSTOMER NO. 22927

Applicants: Walker *et al.*
Application No.: 10/682,062
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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR AUTHENTICATING
DATA RELATING TO USAGE OF A GAMING DEVICE

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Group Art Unit: 3714
Examiner: Christian E. Rendon

**RESPONSE to the RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
imposed by the Non-final Office Action mailed March 26, 2008**

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Restriction Requirement (hereinafter the "Restriction") imposed by the Non-final Office Action mailed March 26, 2008 as Part of Paper No./Mail Date 20080310 (hereinafter the "Office Action"), please consider the following remarks.